

## SUN BEAMS

by WALTER M. BARRETT

With Thanksgiving behind us Christmas is speeding forward and only 22 shopping days remain before the big event. Local merchants are starting to receive and display new shipments of Christmas stock and are inviting your approval. Visit your local stores and find out the sort of bargains you can get at home. We are sure you will be less tempted to do your trading out of town than ever.

Local officers are being asked by the chamber of commerce to cooperate in keeping professional "pan handlers" off the streets. This nuisance is most embarrassing to visitors who hardly park their cars before they are besieged from all sides by moochers. It is equally embarrassing and costly to the businessmen who realize that many people hesitate to return to parking spaces where they have been subjected to the whine of a professional beggar.

It would take better arguments than the ones thus far presented to impress us with the assertion that the cutting of young trees for Christmas decorations is a benefit to the forests and our valuable watersheds. We also fail to see why the increase in price to the marketers is going to curtail the cutting. That simply means the retail price must be increased and if trees have been left on lots after the holidays because of lack of sales, how will the increased price effect the situation? We still contend that our forests were not intended as a mart for speculators. It takes a long, long time to raise a forest in this altitude and climate.

Several weeks ago we openly declared our preference for Jerry Seal well for Governor in 1942. As far as we know, we were the first paper to come out flat-footed and lead with our chin for our "cow county" senator. This week, on another page, Clem Whitaker, San Francisco publicist, ranks Jerry over such stalwarts as Attorney General Warren, State Treasurer Gus Johnson, L. A.'s Mayo Bowron, Justus Craemer and Congressman Tom Rolph. So we "low a bow" we won't be alone in advocating Jerrold L. Sealwell for governor. P. S. If he wins, we'll place a little bet that he'll be the best since Hiram Johnson moved out of the state house into the U. S. Senate.

### REVIVAL OF LUMBER INDUSTRY SEEN IN GOVERNMENT PLAN

Abandoned "ghost towns" in forest districts, once the centers of a thriving lumber trade, are to become a thing of the past, according to federal forest officials now studying California's timber supply.

Not only are the towns, often equipped with logging and sawmill facilities to be rejuvenated, but a continuous growth of timber will be assured, to make them permanently profitable and operative.

The program that is being put into operation aims at establishing sustained yield units for the continuous production of timber crops through co-operation with private land owners.

Government co-operation may take the form of extension of forest credits to owners who need additional acreage to insure steady and continuous logging operations, or it may consist of federal purchase of lands which will be managed under sustained yield forestry principles.

### PROGRESS IS NOTED AT RECENT MEETING OF OUTING CLUB

A general discussion of the progress being made and plans for future accomplishments featured the meeting of the Truckee Outing Club Tuesday night. Next Tuesday evening the members are asked to meet at the pavilion where a work project is being organized to clean out the building and prepare it for the first influx of winter sport enthusiasts.

The up-ski awaits only the arrival of the rope, scheduled to reach here in about ten days, before it is completed. Trails are being cleared from Pinnacle Point, the terminal of the up-ski and volunteers are asked to present themselves Sunday to continue this work which will add to the pleasures of the skiers. A supply of wood will also be cut for the winter use at the pavilion, President Yell Nobles announced.

Chester Matson reports that there are 91 members in the club.

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## Chamber Seeks Unit Program With All Groups

All Civic, Fraternal Groups Will Be Asked to Aid Projects  
CO-ORDINATION ASKED  
Street Improvement First In List of Proposed Programs

Co-ordination of all local organizations in furthering civic projects will be urged by the Truckee Chamber of Commerce. This was decided at a meeting of the directors Monday night at Bank of America. Projects worthy of unified support, under the proposed program, may originate with any of the several local groups, the chamber of commerce to act as a clearing house to promote the work and take the idea to the other groups.

It was emphasized at the meeting that no single group could hope to accomplish what could easily be done through the concerted efforts of all civic organizations, clubs and lodges working toward a common goal.

One of the first projects offered was a plan to determine what could be accomplished toward having Commercial Row regraded and paved to the sidewalk, providing a curb and gutter and eliminating the present wide dirt section of the thoroughfare. This, it was pointed out, would go a long way toward eliminating the ever-present scattering of debris on the sidewalks and in doorways and would result in not only a much more presentable street, but one far more inviting to the motorists. F. W. Gaiennie, chamber director, has agreed to make the preliminary survey of the project to see what, if anything, can be done.

### ROTARIANS SHOWN TALKIES OF ICE BOX FACTORY AT MEET

The Truckee-Tahoe Rotary Club on Monday evening were entertained by talking pictures of the manufacture of electric refrigerators, shown by Lyle Smith, the program chairman. The film was entitled "A Trip Through the Westinghouse Factory."

President Theodore Schleuter presided over the session.

### PLEA MADE FOR T. B. SEAL SALE AS DRIVE STARTS IN TRUCKEE

The local Christmas Seal Sale for the benefit of the California Tuberculosis fund got under way this week under the direction of Mrs. Dan Smith. Appealing for support in this year's drive, Mrs. Beatrice K. Bonner, the county chairman, said, "Just how much can be done this year depends upon the response to this year's Seal Sale. We must be able to continue our campaign to discover hidden cases of tuberculosis and to prevent the spread of this disease in Nevada County."

According to the association, ten people died in this county in 1939 as a result of the dread disease beside the county's patients to Weimar Sanatorium which is maintained in Placer County by this and 13 other counties, partially from the proceeds of the Seal Sales.

Besides the well-established forms of tuberculosis work for which the Seal Sale money is being spent such as case-finding, clinics, popular education, medical education, public health nursing, etc., considerable funds are allocated to research and pioneering.

Pure scientific research concerning the chemistry of the myco-bacterium tuberculosis (tuberculosis germ) and the changes it causes in the tissue of the host, is being carried on in several universities with grants from the Seal Sale revenue.

Summit Lodge No. 54, Knights of Pythias will hold nominations for officers for the coming year at their meeting Friday night. The meeting will begin at 7:30 at the I. O. O. F. hall and all brothers are urged to attend promptly.

### WILL PREACH HERE



Rev. James Alvah Andrews, D. D.

### CHURCH MAN WILL CONDUCT WEEK'S MISSION AT C. M. C.

A "Religion in Life" preaching mission will open at the Community Methodist Church on Sunday. The mission will be led by Dr. J. A. Andrews of San Jose, who will speak at morning and evening services of the church and who will also address the church school and young people's groups.

Dr. Andrews will preach each evening of the week except Saturday. These evening services will begin at 7:30 with a period of Gospel singing using hymns familiar to everyone.

There will also be a Bible hour each morning at 10 o'clock.

Dr. Andrews is a preacher of wide experience. He has served as pastor in Fresno, Hollywood, Stockton, San Jose and Sacramento. At the first meeting of the California Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church a year ago last June he was asked to become director of evangelism of the enlarged conference. He has held similar preaching missions in many places in Northern California and Nevada and pastors and congregations of churches where he has appeared unite in praise of his spirit and his interpretation of religion in terms of everyday life.

### T. V. F. D. MEN AVERT MAJOR FIRE BY FAST, EFFICIENT ACTION

Only the prompt and efficient action of the Truckee Volunteer Fire Department Saturday afternoon averted a major fire on West Main Street when the roof of the Harvey Frazier home was destroyed.

The fire, which started, according to Chief N. F. Dolley, from an electric iron left attached, had gained considerable headway before it was noticed by Robert Bowers, nearby service station operator, who turned in the alarm. At that time flames were shooting skyward from the roof.

New equipment recently purchased by the department which diverts one large stream from the hydrant into four 1 1/2 inch hoses was put into play with excellent results and with four streams concentrated on the fire from various points of vantage, it was soon controlled.

Other nearby structures were not damaged and the loss at the Frazier home was minimized.

### COUNTY AGED FARE BETTER THAN STATE AVERAGE IS REPORT

The old age pension fund disbursed \$5,616,462.23 to the 148,175 recipients in California during October.

In Nevada County the 483 recipients drew an average payment of \$39.12 each which was nearly \$4 more than the state average.

### SCHOOL CLOSED

Because of the prevalence of colds and mild cases of flu, the Meadow Lake Union High School recessed this morning until Monday. Thirteen pupils were absent.

### CHURCH GROUP TO MEET

A special meeting of the Women's Society of Christian Service will be held Thursday, December 5, at the home of Mrs. Ben F. Lewis to discuss plans for the church bazaar to be held the following Tuesday.

## Cleaning Plant Purchased Here By A. Fontana

Increased Facilities Planned By New Owner for Future  
ADDED TO LAUNDRY  
Addition Will be Built Soon To House Modern Equipment

The Truckee Cleaners, operated for the past several years by Mr. and Mrs. Duane Freeman, has been purchased by A. Fontana of Fontana's Laundry, who will operate the unit in connection with the laundry, Fontana announced this week.

The new owner said that although he is purchasing the equipment of the Truckee Cleaners, he will augment this by the addition of several modern pieces of dry cleaning equipment which will greatly increase the service and efficiency of the plant.

During the next few months the dry cleaning department will be conducted in the rear of the laundry plant but as soon as possible Fontana plans to construct an annex to the building to house the cleaning equipment.

An expert in the dry cleaning trade will be employed, Fontana said, to assure first class and guaranteed workmanship.

Fontana pointed out that laundry patrons now have only to add their dry cleaning to the laundry bundle thus affording them a far more convenient service.

Another important improvement by the local laundryman is the installation of three new dryers in the laundry. This equipment, the most modern available, not only expedites work at the plant but is built to save as well as more thoroughly finish clothes.

"After visiting other laundries in much larger cities, I am more than ever proud of our plant and invite comparisons," Fontana said.

### BARRYMORE HEADS BILL AT THEATER HERE ON SATURDAY

"The Great Profile," the hilarious, different slap-stick comedy, which stars John Barrymore and was produced by 20th Century Fox comes Saturday night to the Donner Theater. "Flowing Gold," thrilling saga of life and love in the Texas oil fields shows at the Donner Sunday. The highly lauded Warner Bros. film version of Rex Beach's immortal novel stars John Garfield, Frances Farmer and Pat O'Brien.

When a Blue Book deb becomes a gilded "Pink" there's bound to be fun. And that's exactly what's in store for patrons when Elsa Maxwell's "Public Deb No. 1," the 20th Century Fox picture, with George Murphy and Brenda Joyce heading the cast plays on Wednesday evening.

### MARY PIERCE HAS PRINCIPAL ROLE IN J. C. PRODUCTION

Miss Mary Pierce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce, Sr., has the leading feminine roll in the forthcoming production of the Yuba Junior College thespians. She will portray the role of Brigid in Paul Vincent Carroll's "Shadow and Substance," which won the Pulitzer prize for the best foreign play in 1937.

Miss Pierce has been seen locally in several high school and amateur players' productions.

The date of the production has not yet been set but open dates at the end of the current semester or the first of the next are being considered.

### Here on Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Sheffield of Napa, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sheffield of Oakland and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Richardson of Reno spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. S. Marshall Richardson. Mrs. Richardson left today to spend the winter in San Francisco.

### LEGION WILL OPEN MEMORIAL HALL AT DANCE NEW YEARS

The new Veterans Memorial Building will be dedicated and opened for public use on New Years Eve, when Truckee Post, American Legion, will entertain with a public dance, Commander Henry G. Loehr reports. C. E. Pierce is heading the committee of arrangements and announces that he has procured Rolly Barton and his orchestra to provide the music. Added attractions will be offered for the opening event and a high crowd is anticipated.

According to members of the building committee, the building has been accepted by the supervisors and has been turned over to the American Legion as custodian.

Plans for the affair were completed at a meeting last night at which H. O. Anderson was appointed as chairman of the hall committee to cooperate with the supervisors.

### OVERNIGHT SKI HIKE LEAVES FAN COLD BUT IN GOOD HEALTH

Tired and cold but in otherwise good condition, John Montgomery, 22, of Berkeley returned late Friday evening after a two-day skiing trip which gave forest officials and the National Ski Patrol grave concern when he did not return Thursday night.

He came out near Independence Lake on the Truckee-Sierraville road. Why he took the long journey was not revealed. He had no suitable equipment for the trek and was faced with a threat of a fatal termination to his jaunt.

Ranger John R. Hodgson of Big Bend says the weather conditions were unfavorable for a lost skier there being about 3 feet of snow and very low temperature.

This was the first "man hunt" of the winter season.

### LIONS TOLD OF TREE HARVEST PLANS FOR TEN YEAR PERIOD

There will be approximately 100,000 young trees harvested in the Tahoe National Forest and private lands within the forest this year, but in ten years this will be reduced to 10,000 trees per year, J. D. Rafferty, law enforcement officer of the Tahoe National Forest, advised the Truckee Lions Club at the meeting last night.

Rafferty, accompanied by L. B. Hodges, also an enforcement officer, is working in this district checking trees and patrolling the forest for violators. Some have been apprehended.

Of the 100,000 trees to be harvested this year, 60,000 will pass through Truckee and 30,000 will be from government lands, Rafferty said. The speaker told the steps being taken to eliminate poachers and illegal slaughter of trees. He praised highly the efforts of District Attorney Vernon Stoll in cooperating with the forest service in the patrol work.

Lyle Smith, another guest, showed a film on the construction of a Westinghouse refrigerator which proved very interesting.

The Lions will meet for dinner at 6 o'clock next Wednesday and will hear Rev. James A. Andrews who is conducting a series of meetings at the community church. The usual pre-meeting will be postponed.

Scotty Henderson also was a guest at the meeting.

### ROY FEATHERS TO HEAD F & A M HERE FOR COMING YEAR

Roy A. Feathers was elected Worshipful Master of Truckee Lodge No. 200, F. & A. M., at the order's annual election of officers last Thursday night. He succeeds F. L. Rector.

Other newly-elected officers include V. L. Deaton, senior warden; Elden Tonini, junior warden, and C. B. White, treasurer. G. E. Hofmann was re-elected as secretary.

Other officers will be appointed in the near future.

It was reported here this week that Miss Glenda Talcott became the bride of Merle Snyder of Reno early this month.

## First Priority Given Truckee Landing Field

Two Other Fields in County On Preferred List By Commission

NO DATES ARE GIVEN

Truckee Seen as Important In Development of Air Commerce

The C.A.A. emergency landing field just east of Truckee was recommended as a "first priority" field in its class in the preliminary draft of a Master Plan for Airports and Airways in California submitted to Gov. Culbert Olson by Prof. Samuel C. May, chairman of the State Planning Board last week. Public ownership and improvement of 135 airports and landing fields were urged by the report. The report was prepared by the board's staff at the request of and with the cooperation of the Civil Aeronautics Authority.

Data concerning the present development and future needs of aviation in various parts of the state were secured from the C.A.A. and from more than 150 reports submitted by airport managers and chambers of commerce.

The preliminary plan will be reviewed by an aviation advisory committee composed of experts in civil aviation and representatives of the Army and Navy. The final plan may recommend that certain airports of importance to the defense program be made larger than required merely for commercial and private flying. Commenting on the need for airport planning, Prof. May said, "Increasing air transport traffic, expanding defense activities, new pilot training programs and the mass production of airplanes suggest that aviation is on the threshold of an era of unprecedented development. If we are to have adequate airports and airways tomorrow, we must plan for them today."

"When adopted, the final plan is expected to influence the allocation of public funds available for airport development."

The number of "first priority" landing areas is somewhat less than the existing total. In addition, provision is made for 37 "second priority" airports which may be needed later and for which land now should be set aside.

Grass Valley and Nevada City airports both are listed for "first priority" as Class One Airports.

### P-T. A. BEGINS PLANS ON COMMUNITY-WIDE CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Truckee Union P-T. A. will meet at the grammar school Friday at 1:30 to discuss plans for the annual Community Christmas party to be held in the edifice on December 19.

Mrs. E. G. Harris president, announced that \$4.98 which was left over from the fund last year will start the donations for the event.

A program enjoyable to all will be outlined and the pre-school and grammar school children and high school students will receive gifts from the tree.

### SON OF SURVIVOR DONNER PARTY IS DEAD AT 84 YEARS

The last rites of T. M. Grimshaw, 84, were held Sunday in Sacramento. He died Friday at his ranch in Sloughhouse.

Grimshaw's mother was a member of the Donner Party who escaped death in the high Sierra by continuing on with another group to Sutter's Fort in the winter of 1846-47. His father came around Cape Horn in a sailing vessel.

Grimshaw spent his entire life in Sacramento county.

Claud Smith, manager of the Fallon Standard, was a Truckee visitor yesterday.





by ROBERT PATTERSON  
(California Progress Review Writer)

#### SUBSTITUTE FOR VICTORY.....

The tussle whirling Axis, now spinning through the southeast of Europe, has brought within its circle several of the Balkan States. All this has been heralded as part of the "new order" in Europe, but in reality it is more of sop to the people of Germany an attempt to convince them—the promised conquest of England having failed—that the Third Reich marches triumphantly forward. Agreements between Germany and the leaders of the Balkan nations, no matter how loudly acclaimed by the totalitarian press, simply multiply the difficulties and increase the vulnerability of the Third Reich. It is not conquest which is so difficult, as Napoleon discovered—it is making conquest stick. And nowhere are such difficulties more apt to appear than in the Balkans where

the fires of nationalist pride have blazed fiercely for centuries despite all attempts to suppress them. There is no reason to believe the Nazis will enjoy any greater success than former conquerors in welding the intensely patriotic Balkan people into one happy family.

#### BREAK THE BLOCKADES

Thanks to the fact that the average American looks upon the motor car as indispensable to the pursuit of happiness, and thanks to the steady growth of motor transport, the nation now has a far-flung, sturdily built network of highways fully adequate for the country's defense. So declare the Army and government officials. They see no need for vast super-highways for the rapid movement of the Army's new streamlined divisions. In the 75,000 miles of present strategic roadways—when the bottleneck bridges are eliminated—the War Department finds a network of arteries reaching into every state, ready for the free-flowing movement of troops, equipment and supplies when, and if, M-Day comes. Legally, highways are less well prepared. In the words of the National Highway Users Conference: "The greatest handicap to a full and effective use of highways in the national defense program lies in the lack of uniformity in state laws and regulations governing sizes and weights of vehicles, load limits, equipment requirements and other barriers." Removing this handicap is today no longer a matter of choice but of necessity. Trade barriers stand in the way of progress.

#### WHAT ABOUT HUMOR?

Are we Americans losing our sense of humor? This is the fear of a prominent New York educator who points to the recent bitter and humorless presidential election as good grounds for such a suspicion. And such grimness, he declares, is the result of an unhealthy mental state that bodes no good for the future of the country. We agree—a country without a sense of humor is in a very serious condition. But we do not agree that these United States are in that lamentable state. Our presidential elections have nearly always been hard-fought and often bitter tussles. The tirades and merciless invective that lashed at presidential candidates in our elections during the last century make the latest campaign sound like a hosanna to sweetness and light. Americans play hard, work hard, and fight hard. If some of that do-or-die fighting spirit entered into the recent presidential contest, it is no occasion for alarm. It was not a new or menacing spirit, but the hard fighting spirit that is as old as the republic itself.

#### FRANCE FIGHTS ON

The surrender of one of France's biggest battlefields to British authorities at the port of Algeiras, Spain, gives significant proof that even in the French Navy—where anti-British feeling has been strongest—there is no undivided allegiance to the government at Vichy. The surrender of France, to an important degree, was based on the conviction that Britain also would soon surrender within a few weeks at the most. The passing months have shown the falsity of that conviction and at the same time weakened the prestige of the puppet regime at Vichy. The surrender of the big French ship gives further evidence that free Frenchmen are still of a mind and a will to fight on.

#### DRAFT EXEMPTION

In a week which has seen one pastor jailed for refusing to register for conscription, students of a theological seminary sent to prison for likewise refusing, and a die-hard campaign begun to repeal the aforesaid law, only Arthur Morel, New Hampshire contractor, has provided the surefire method of avoiding the draft. He announces the birth of his 25th child. Of that number 22 are living. You can't beat 22 air-tight excuses.

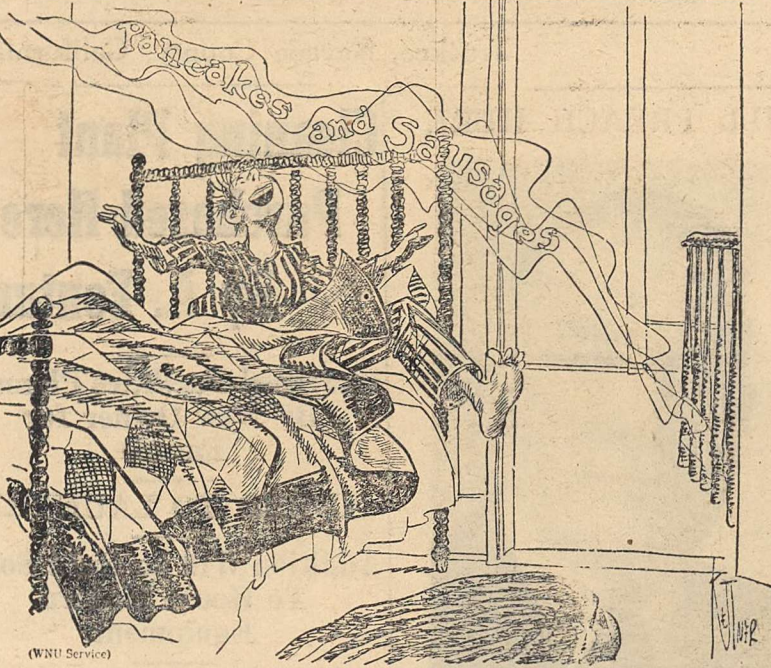
Business failures are on the decline, with only 203 reported nationally the week ending November 14 against 308 in the same week of 1939.

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No Second Call Necessary



## EDITORIALS

### HAWAIIAN STATEHOOD

At the general election on November 5th, the citizens of the Territory of Hawaii indicated by a two to one vote that they desire statehood. This does not mean that Congress will grant statehood—it only means that the citizens themselves, a majority of whom are of Oriental extraction, believe that Hawaii should be a state, with the right to elect those who govern it.

A most interesting phase of that election was the approval by the electorate of a candidate for the Territorial Senate, Sanji Abe. During the entire campaign and up to November 2nd, Abe was a citizen of both the United States and Japan! He was only expatriated three days before the election when his papers were rushed from Tokyo.

When the Territory of Hawaii will elect to its highest legislative body a man who had the temerity to seek and accept the nomination for office while still owing allegiance to Japan, the question may well be asked, "Is Hawaii ready for the responsibilities of Statehood?"

Hawaii is this country's most important fortification. Over one-third of its voters are of Japanese ancestry, and of these 60 per cent have dual citizenship—are citizens of Japan as well as of the United States and are subject to military duty in Japan. The safety and welfare of the one hundred and thirty million Americans in the whole nation must not be jeopardized by turning over the government of its most important military outpost to a majority of Asiatic descent whose allegiance is largely divided.

### CREDIT WHERE IT IS DUE

There is much jubilation in the halls of State Government over the fact that California's huge general fund deficit is being whittled down and that income, during the current fiscal year, will probably equal or exceed the outgo.

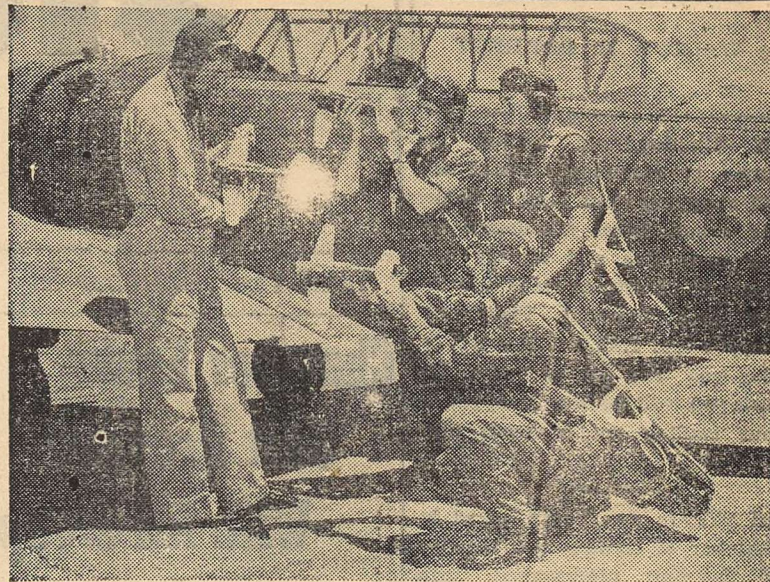
The reassuring transition from red ink to black in the State ledgers is credited by Governor Olson and his finance chiefs to two factors—namely, a heavy reduction in relief costs, and a sharp increase in State revenues resulting from the national defense program.

Giving credit where it is due, however, the public should remember that had it not been for the vigorous stand of the Economy Bloc of the Legislature, composed of both Republicans and Democrats, this State would now be paying \$50,000,000 in additional taxes, as demanded by the Governor. If new taxes had been voted, of course the money would have been spent, even though subsequent developments have justified the Economy Bloc's contention that no new taxes were necessary. And we should also remember that the tremendous savings which have been achieved in relief costs—amounting to more than \$5,000,000 during the last four months—resulted from the cleanup in relief demanded and ordered by the Legislature.

There seems to be a disposition on the part of the Governor now to forget his demands for new and higher taxes—any many of the Governor's department heads predict that he will work more harmoniously with the Legislature during its forthcoming session. We hope that is true and certainly we would do nothing to disturb the trend toward more harmonious relations. But in view of the fact that members of the legislative Economy Bloc were condemned and bitterly excoriated while they were making their stand against new taxes—and had to fight off attempts to "purge" them during the recent elections—it is now only fair that they should be given a hearty hand of applause by the taxpayers whom they befriended.

YOUR HOME MERCHANTS  
ASK YOU TO "BUY AT HOME"

### Model Airplanes Can Make Model Airmen



At Randolph Field, Texas, home of the Army Air Corps Primary Flying School, Flying Cadets are taught the fundamentals of flying formations through the use of model ships which are counterparts of the basic trainers in which they receive their flight training.

This method of instruction was devised by veteran instructors at Randolph Field, the "West Point of the Air," in order to simplify the course of flying training and to eliminate the loss of many precious minutes in the air when a student failed to understand the principles involved in any particular gyration. In this photograph an instructor (center) demonstrates the "Vee" formation which is the fundamental formation used in massed flying.

Model airplanes, exact counterparts of the full size Basic Training planes, are often used to demonstrate flight maneuvers without ever leaving the ground. This method of instruction was devised by the flying instructors at Randolph Field in order to simplify the course of flying training and to eliminate the loss of many precious minutes in the air when a student pilot failed to understand the principles involved in any particular gyration. The instructor, center, is demonstrating the position of the airplanes in the Vee formation, the fundamental formation used in all massed flying. His three students, two of them "flying" the wing positions, are sticking right on the tail of the leader as he leads his formation into a dive. After a thorough discussion on the ground, they take to the air, and put into practice the maneuvers previously "flown" with the small scale models. Although the formation as a whole may be speeding through the air at speeds up to 200 miles per hour, the relative speeds between the members of the formation is practically zero. Each of the wing men glues his eyes on the leader and follows him no matter where he

leads. This principle of formation flying, starting with only three airplanes, gradually grows in size as the student pilots become more proficient. By the time graduation from Kelly Field, the Air Corps Advanced Flying School, rolls around, 30 weeks after the start of the course of flight training, the young aviators have been built up to flying perfect formation with as many as 18 planes in a group. The final graduation aerial review, in which every member of the class usually participates, finds as many as 150 airplanes in one gigantic formation, each man following his leader. Many estimates have been made on the cost to the government for every Flying Cadet who completes the course, and conservative figures place this at about \$20,000 per man. All this is free to the individual, and, in addition, Flying Cadets receive a salary of \$75 per month during their training. After graduation, they are commissioned as Second Lieutenants in the Air Corps Reserve and their pay increases to \$200 per month. Then they are detailed to extended active duty with the various tactical organizations of the Air Corps. They have become full fledged pilots.

### At the Churches

**Catholic Church**  
Rev. William Daly, Priest  
TRUCKEE ..... 9 A. M.

**Community Church**  
Rev. G. J. E. Keetch, Minister  
SUNDAY SCHOOL ..... 10 A. M.  
MORNING WORSHIP ..... 11 A. M.  
YOUNG PEOPLE'S LEAGUE 6P. M.

### Christian Science Service

"Look unto me, and be saved, all the ends of the earth: for I am God, and there is none else." These words from Isaiah comprise the Golden Text to be used Sunday, December 1, in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The subject of the Lesson-Sermon will be "Ancient and Modern Negro-mancy, alias Mesmerism and Hyr-pnotism, Denounced."

### Going to Court? Choose Your Own

SACRAMENTO—(UP)—Motorists charged with traffic violations and not the officers have their choice of the courts where they must appear, the attorney general's office advised Chief E. Raymond Cato of the highway patrol.

The court, according to the opinion, may be in the county seat in which the offense was committed instead of the township where the motorist was apprehended.

Electrical power output in the United States is now at an all-time peak, according to the Edison Electric Institute.

Americans during 1939 ate 303,269,000 gallons of ice cream, an all-time high.

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#### Fraternal

#### TRUCKEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Weekly luncheon held each Monday at noon. Meeting place is posted in The Sierra Sun office window. You are urged to attend.

W. M. BARRETT, president.  
LOTTA BRYANT, secretary

#### TRUCKEE LIONS CLUB



Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 P. M. at the California Restaurant.

W. M. ENGLEHART, Jr., Pres  
W. M. ENGLEHART, Sr., Secty

#### TRUCKEE-TAHOE ROTARY CLUB

Meets Every Monday at 7 P. M. at The California Cafe

Theodore Schleuter, Pres.  
L. A. Greene, Secretary.

#### TRUCKEE POST NO. 439 AMERICAN LEGION



Meets the First Tuesday of Each Month in the Capitol Clubrooms.

HENRY LOEHR, Commander  
VERNON PEARSON, Adjutant

#### SUMMIT LODGE NO. 54 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

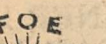


Meets Every Friday in Odd Fellows Hall

Visiting Brothers Welcomed  
Fred Kohler, C. C.

W. M. Englehart, Sr., K. of R. & S.

#### FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES TRUCKEE AERIE NO. 1124



Meets first and third Thursday of Officers of the

#### TRUCKEE LODGE NO. 200

#### F. & A. M.



R. A. Feathers, W. M.  
G. E. Hofmann, Sect'y  
Lodge Meets Every Third Thursday.

#### SUMMIT TEMPLE NO. 79 PYTHIAN SISTERS

Meets Second and Fourth Thursday at Odd Fellows Hall in Truckee

Laura Gaiennie, Excellent Chief.  
Violet Garner, M. of R. & S.

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## TAHOE SKI CLUB TO SPONSOR BENEFIT SHOW FOR JIMMY WORDEN, HERO OF SUN VALLEY

TAHOE CITY—Lake Tahoe Ski club has been advanced to Thursday night to allow for members attendance at the picture. Manager Verne Shattuck of the Donner Theater has promised to donate all proceeds exceeding cost of production to the cause.

The organization plans to add to equipment on the new ski hill before major winter events begin.

Mount Rose slopes drew crowds of winter sports fans over the week-end. Among them were Dr. Howard of San Rafael, Bob and Boots Blatt of Stanford University and Carl Becholt, Jr., of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club.

Lakeshore homes were opened, in many cases to large parties of house guests. At the J. Paul St. Sure home near Tahoe Tavern were, beside the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wikander of Piedmont, Dr. Gerald Grey of Oakland, whose new home at Sugar Bowl is now completed. Dr. Gilmore of San Francisco entertained at his new home in Lake Forest.

Worden is still convalescing from the broken leg he sustained when he fell several hundred yards from the finish line, gamely struggling up and crossing the tape to finish for his team. Many benefit affairs are planned in his honor by the various clubs. The Auburn club is planning to hold its first major meet in his honor.

The regular meeting of the Tahoe

## Big Music Starts Xmas Season



Santa Claus, assisted by pretty majorettes, leaps through a giant sheet of "Jingle Bells" music score, as 60 bands open fourth annual All Western Band Review at Long Beach, Cal., an event marking start of Christmas season.

## Lake Tahoe News

by ANNE B. ANDERSON

### CELESTE PLANETT IS HOSTESS TO TWENTY AT HOLIDAY DINNER

Cards and dancing followed the dinner party given by Celeste Planet for twenty guests on Thanksgiving Day. Geese replaced turkey as the piece-de-resistance. Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Henry and daughter, Patricia, Mary Planet, Fred Planet, Sigurd Ulland, Art Holvig, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCarthy Jr., William Remmer of Cal-Neva, John Hagen, Sam Myers, Don Douglas, Dan Miller, Jack English and Mr. and Mrs. A. Bokleman.

Celeste will close her lodge at Kings Beach Saturday night with a buffet supper and dancing party and on Tuesday plans to leave for Palm Springs and later to Florida for the winter. She will return in the early spring to reopen business.

The Federal government proposes to spend \$1,000,000 to convert Mather Field at Sacramento into a modern training school for air pilots.

### TAHOE LAND OWNER SUED ON CHARGE OF NOT PAYING DEBT

RENO—George Whittell of San Francisco, a major land owner on the Nevada side of Lake Tahoe, was named as defendant in a suit to collect \$70,000 here.

The action was filed in district court by Nick Abelman, buffet operator. In the complaint, Abelman says he loaned Whittell \$70,000 on December 2, 1937, and the money had not been repaid.

### Sunday School Services

Services at Tahoe Sunday school were observed under the direction of Mrs. Carl Wheat in the absence of Superintendent Mrs. Tejas Edwards. A Thanksgiving program was again presented with Rae Pyle as leader and included: Child's Thanksgiving Prayer by Lucille Haugen, a poem, I'm Thankful by Betty Wheat, and piano selections by Sally Cross.

## MRS. HELLER RECITES SERVICE RECORD OF PHILANTHROPIC CLUB AT DEDICATION MEET

At the H & W Philanthropic Club's dedication dance on November 23rd, Mrs. Charles Heller gave a dedication address, an excerpt of which follows:

To the loyal, faithful members who have worked so willingly this past three years, to the property owners and business men of Tahoe City and Truckee, and to the people who have co-operated so splendidly by attending our social affairs, we dedicate this building to all of you. Without your help this achievement would never have been possible.

Five years ago a group of eight people, neighbors and friends, isolated in the winter time met at the home of Mrs. H. M. Walker of Rubicon Park for the purpose of organizing. Mrs. Heller was elected first president.

Mrs. Walker, secretary-treasurer. We drew up a constitution and by-laws. Our dues to be 10 cents and one cent a week for cards.

The corner-stones or principles upon which we founded our club are benevolence, philosophy, altruism and philanthropy.

Our membership grew to nearly 100 having always a membership average of 30 active members, the remaining absentees. With the dues during the year we are organized we have paid out \$355.18 in philanthropic work, sent 787 cards to the ill, bereaved and the unfortunate and have performed 53 major philanthropic deeds.

We meet weekly, are a happy group and our motto is "Helpful and Willing."

## H & W Philanthropic Club News Items

by MRS. LEE GARNER

The Hard Times Dance, given by the H & W Philanthropic Club of Meeks Bay Saturday night, was a gay affair. Old and new dances were enjoyed by all. A dedication talk was given by Mrs. Charles Heller and was answered by President Phil Geier. Refreshments were served and Miss Florence Vernon won the door prize while Mrs. Roy Stark and Jay Schumacher won costume prizes.

At the club meeting Monday night four new members were inducted. They were Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson, Mrs. Sam Goss and Gibson Benadum. A donation was made to the Red Cross. The date of the annual Parce Post Party was set for Tuesday, December 17. The social committee appointed for December includes Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heller and Mrs. Lee Garner. The Hellers were hosts for the evening and everyone enjoyed the game of court whist. Mrs. Cecil Boyman and Roy Stark were high scorers and Mrs. Jay Schumacher and Tor Skaggs, Jr., low.

Next Monday night the club will have a Pot Luck Supper.

Mrs. Phil Geier left for Alhambra to visit her daughter.

## News Notes From Schools at Tahoe

Tahoe schools resumed on Monday with enrollment increased by one pupil in the elementary room—Donna McClary of Pomins Lodge—a sixth-grade student.

D. T. Dawe, supervisor of instruction in Placer county, visited the Tahoe schools on Monday.

At Tahoe Branch of Placer Union High School semester examinations are in progress this week.

Pete Vanni returned to school Monday after a week in San Francisco as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Corrigan.

Charles Cross, high school student who is recovering from an appendectomy at the home of relatives in Reno, will return to his Tahoe home on Friday.

Residents are again urged to join the Red Cross and assist in the fine welfare program being carried on by this humane organization. Membership cards may be obtained at Tahoe Branch Library, from Mrs. Stella Watson, Mrs. George Bliss or Mrs. C. Mathews.

Unsold canned salmon stocks in packers' hands dropped from 1,624,243 cases at the end of September to 1,324,432 cases as of October 31.

Holiday Guests—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Walker of Rubicon Park, Lake Tahoe, had as their guests over the Thanksgiving holiday Mrs. H. A. Pillman and daughter, Alice Mae, from Berkeley.



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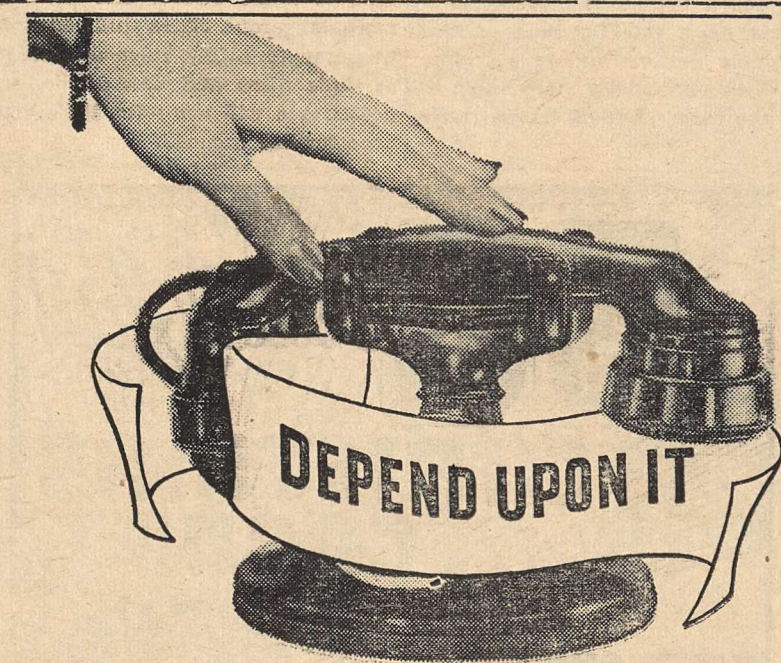
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## Standardization

STANDARDIZATION is a term which one might say has come into its own in the last decade or so, for it has become characteristic of modern times. And yet, in spite of what it signifies in certain industries—the lifting up of manufactured goods, for instance, to a prescribed level, thereby safeguarding the purchaser, and the establishment of minimum wage laws, thereby protecting the wage-earner—standardization, as such, has many opponents.

We find William Lyon Phelps saying, "Regimentation is the enemy of progress," and Calvin Coolidge wrote: "Progress depends very largely on the encouragement of variety. . . . The privilege of the individual to develop his own thoughts and shape his own character, that makes progress possible." These men saw the dangers of standardization. For no matter how high a human standard may be, limitation is always present because that standard is below perfection. For example, one might have a highly developed piece of apparatus, but if this were taken as an ultimate standard, progress would not be made beyond it. This would mean the stultifying of initiative, resourcefulness, and the limitation of progress.

How to deal with the problem of standardization—to keep that which it may offer of good, yet not to be limited by it—is a question which needs to be faced and answered.

Jesus gave the one perfect standard for all time when he said (Matthew 5:48), "Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect." No standard is high enough, then, unless it is perfection itself. Mary Baker Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, writes in her textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" (p. 353), "Perfection underlies reality." This is not hard to grasp when we accept the spiritual record of creation set forth in the first chapter of Genesis: "God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him. . . . And God saw every thing that he had made, and, behold, it was very good."

Even glimpsing the infinitude of God enables thought to grasp in some degree the limitlessness of the intelligence, the beauty, the good which are man's to use and enjoy.

The joy and freedom which come from knowing these spiritual facts are shown in two passages from Mrs. Eddy's writings. One from Science and Health reads (p. 258): "God expresses in man the infinite idea forever developing itself, broadening and rising higher and higher from a boundless basis." The other, from her "Miscellaneous Writings" (pp. 82, 83), is as follows: "Immortal Mind is God, immortal good; in whom the Scripture saith 'we live, and move, and have our being.' This Mind, then, is not subject to growth, change, or diminution, but is the divine intelligence, or Principle, of all real being; holding man forever in the rhythmic round of unfolding bliss, as a living witness to and perpetual idea of inexhaustible good."

As we realize that our real selfhood is the expression of God, good, we see that there is no limit to the good we may express. And we are in no danger of becoming boastful or vain, for we are conscious that God is the source of all good; that to Him belongs the glory.

We may well ask ourselves about everything in our experience. What is my standard for this? Rejecting everything that is limited, distorted, and imperfect, and accepting only what is perfect, we shall see the real standard. Seeing it, we must work up to it by improving our thoughts until they conform to perfection. A high ideal! Yes, but the patience, the love, and the perseverance one must exercise to attain it bless one along the entire way.

God being the Principle of all right desires, motives, and attainment, perfection is the universal standard. No limitation of good belongs to the real selfhood of anyone. And here we see that it is not a matter of great concern whether our brother is measuring up to some human standard we may have outlined. In this regard, the all-important question is, Are our thoughts of our brother measuring up to the standard of perfection?

One can readily see the freedom which results from accepting as one's own the standard of perfection. In it there is no restriction of good. One's love, one's service, one's consciousness of good cannot be humanly standardized, when it is understood that the resources of good are infinite and inexhaustible. Paul, with the standard of perfection before him, wrote in his letter to the Ephesians (Ephesians 1:3, 4): "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who hath blessed us with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ: according as he hath chosen us in him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy and without blame before him in love."

—The Christian Science Monitor

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## Politically Speaking

by JOHN W. DUNLAP

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

SACRAMENTO —(UP)— There had better not be an upset, but the outcome of California's vote in the contest between Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Willkie for president of the United States will not be known definitely until December 16.

That date is the traditional "first Monday after the second Wednesday in December" when the electoral college is required by the U. S. Constitution to meet and "elect" a president and vice-president.

There would be a first rate scandal if one of the presidential electors voted for any candidate other than the one preferred by the voters in the November general election, but technically there is nothing to prevent the electoral college from selecting John Smith, Earl Browder, or anyone else they see fit.

Barring any such unexpected development, however, California's 22 electors will meet here on the designated date and dutifully cast their ballots for Franklin D. Roosevelt for president and Henry A. Wallace for vice-president.

According to tradition the fromality must be carried out separately for each of the candidates, although the general public in voting last month had no opportunity to "split" the ticket and vote for presidential electors and vice-presidential electors in different parties.

For performing the great public service of electing a president, the electors will be paid \$10 each plus five cents a mile for the distance travelled to and from the state Capitol.

There are no longer any attractive and expensive junkets to Washington as was the case prior to 1913 when the official results of the election were delivered to the senate of the United States by a special messenger selected from among the electors.

The vital documents are now entrusted to Uncle Sam's mail service at a greatly reduced cost and practically no loss of efficiency. Additional copies will be filed with the secretary of state's office here, however, just in case the original copy should go astray.

At 1 o'clock on January 6, Congress will meet in joint session to canvass the votes of the several states, and will formally advise Messrs. Roosevelt and Wallace of their selection as the nation's top executives.

There is no question but that the electoral college has outlived its usefulness, but it would be a long and difficult process to remove it from the Constitution. A constitutional amendment would have to be adopted by Congress and ratified by 36 states before it could be effective.

In the meantime, there is always the possibility that the lineup of the states will defeat a presidential candidate who has a majority vote. This

### NOTICE OF INTENDED SALE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of December, 1940, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, the undersigned vendor, Duane Freeman, residing at Truckee, Nevada County, California, intends the sell and will sell to A. Fontana, residing at Truckee, Nevada County, California, that certain dry cleaning business, known as "The Truckee Cleaners", located at Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California.

The following is a general statement of the character of the merchandise or property intended to be sold:

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The sale will be closed and consummated and the agreed purchase price and consideration of said sale will be paid on the above date and hour at Fontana's Laundry, Town of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California. Dated: November 25, 1940.

DUANE FREEMAN  
Vendor

State of California ss.  
County of Nevada.

On this 25th day of November in the year one thousand nine hundred and forty before me, W. A. Loynd, a Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Duane Freeman, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in County of Nevada the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(NOTARIAL SEAL) W. A. LOYND  
Notary Public in and for the County of Nevada, State of California.  
My Commission Expires Apr. 11, 1943

## Oh Oh! They're a Job for Judges



These twins presented a new problem to judges who chose 40 entrants from 3000 Pasadena coed beauties in elimination for queen of Pasadena's famous New Years Day Rose Bowl celebration. Names of entrants are not known to judges. They may have to choose two queens this year—maybe.

## XMAS SEASON HOLDS EXTRA HAZARDS TO CALIFORNIA DRIVERS

"Keep safe and enjoy Christmas." This was the advice given this week to California drivers and pedestrians by James M. Carter, director of motor vehicles, over whose desk passes the daily score of injured and killed in highway accidents.

"December is one of the worst months of the year for accidents," Carter said. "The short hours, heavy

already has happened twice in the history of the United States—in 1870 when Samuel Tilden received the largest popular vote but was defeated by Rutherford B. Hayes in the electoral college, and in 1888, when Grover Cleveland was a candidate for re-election and lost by the same process to Benjamin Harrison. Cleveland came back in the next election, 1892, and was re-elected to a second term.

While the form of the electoral college persists, the presidential elector, no longer even appear on the ballot in California. Under a new amendment to the state's election laws, a vote for a presidential candidate is counted as a vote for each of that candidates electors, and thus California voters unofficially mark their X after the name of their chosen candidate.

## Young Wizard



Rep. Lyndon Raines Johnson, 32-year-old Texan, who is credited by Washington Democrats with political magic in playing stellar role in congressional campaign in which GOP lost six seats, President Roosevelt asked him to pitch into campaign.

traffic and inclement weather all combine to make streets and highways more dangerous. Extra skill and close attention to safety rules are needed in these times and wise drivers and pedestrians will not relax their vigilance for one second."

## ACME'S PRESIDENT NAMED TO NATIONAL BREWERIES BOARD

Karl F. Schuster, president of Acme Breweries, has been notified of his election as a director of the U. S. Brewers Association which is a national organization that devotes itself to the development of sound fundamentals of the brewing industry. Schuster is the only Northern California director.

He gives full credit to newspaper advertising for its help in achieving Acme's success, stating that his company has never failed to use newspaper advertising on an ever-expanding scale since Repeal.

It is felt that Schuster's election is in the nature of a tribute paid to the important position that Acme Breweries occupy in the industry. Although its business is restricted in the far west, its output is the 19th largest in the nation, according to the Research Corporation of America—an achievement never before attained by any west coast brewery.

## PLACER COUNTY JR. RED CROSS IS AID TO UNFORTUNATES

The members of the Junior Red Cross in the Placer County schools are trying to "do their bit." They wish to help less fortunate children than they. On December 7th they are selling craft work to raise money to send soup, milk and chocolate to the children of war-ravished Europe. They have been busy for weeks in their art classes making articles for the holiday season. You will be pleased to see the carved door stops, carved pictures, table favors, stuffed dolls, Christmas tree ornaments and huge sacks of pine cones for the fireplace. The Junior Red Cross Shop is to be at Earl Lukens Furniture Store in Auburn.

## ARBITRATION CUTS LABOR TROUBLE IN COAST PORT CITY

SAN FRANCISCO —(RNS)— San Francisco was virtually free of labor disputes during October, the San Francisco Employers' Council reported this week.

Steam schooner workers and employees of a group of local drug stores went on strike—only controversies unsettled by conciliation during the month.

Meanwhile, 21 other disputes between employers and employees were settled without loss to either and 12 collective bargaining agreements were negotiated, the report added.

Canners held 17,086,917 cases of canned peas in stock in October, an increase of nearly 2,500,000 cases over October, 1939, totals.

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## WINGS FOR AMERICA

by Don Wiley  
MEMBER, AVIATION WRITERS ASSN

Italy's air force, heralded back in the early days of the dictator era as the world's most powerful, seems to be falling down on its first big assignment.

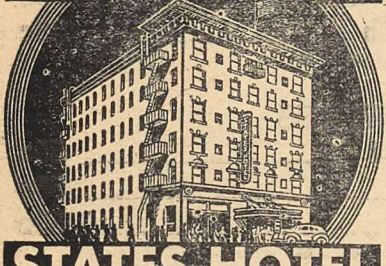
According to tacticians, the Axis strategy called for Italian air action that would smash British resistance in the Near East and pave the way for the cutting of the Empire line at Suez, the while Hitler's Luftwaffe battered England into submission.

But despite the fact that Britain reportedly has no more than 500 first line aircraft in the Near East, the Suez Canal has not been cut or even attacked. And the Italian aerial performance, both in the Near East and over England appears to have been signally undistinguished.

There is no doubt that at one time Mussolini's air force was numerically extremely strong. But that strength certainly has not been maintained, if we are to accept the word of a number of European observers, who claim it has dwindled to about 3,000 effective aircraft.

Dispatches from London tell of the winning of a number of Italian planes which had joined the Luftwaffe in bombing raids on the London area. Shot down were Caproni 135 twin-engined bombers and Fiat CR-42 fighters. Neither ship compares favorably with the best of the British or German air forces.

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## Railroadiana

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Not mentioned in these dispatches, though it may have participated in the raids, was a newer Italian pursuit interceptor—the Caproni F-5. The Italian press claims "high speed and rate of climb and excellent maneuverability" for this single seater. Performance figures are unobtainable, but the fact that the F-5 is powered by an 850 horsepower radial motor, would indicate it is far slower than such American pursuits as the Curtiss P-40, the Bell Airacobra or the California built Vultee Vanguard, all of which have power plants turning up 1000 hp or better.

Highly significant is the announcement that the Douglas Aircraft Company's new plant at Long Beach will embody the lessons Europe learned the hard way—with camouflaged landscape, "decentralization" of vital units, bomb shelters for employees and black-out facilities.

While at the moment an aerial attack upon these United States appears extremely remote, the California aircraft industry is preparing for any eventuality—no matter how remote.

England's leading periodicals can't seem to get together on their estimations of German aircraft shot down by the RAF. The magazine, The Aeroplane, for instance, describes Messerschmitt Me109s which the RAF has tagged as "inferior products" and that the planes' gas tanks "were unprotected and in the most vulnerable position."

The London Times, on the other hand, holds that "both (Nazi) bombers and fighters seem to be well made and constructed of tough, serviceable material. There is no sign of ersatz." The German self-sealing petrol tank is excellent.

## "Governor" Seawell



State Senator Jerrold L. Seawell

### SEAWELL SEEN AS LEADING REPUBLICAN CONTENDER FOR GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA

by CLEM WHITAKER

Taking time by the forelock, a notable galaxy of political peers of the realm, each with a desire to hang up his hat in the Governor's Mansion in Sacramento, has started setting the stage for California's great gubernatorial drama of 1942.

Although actual campaigning isn't scheduled to begin for at least another twelvemonth, leading candidates, in both major parties, already are maneuvering and jockeying for position, with one or two aspirants openly building their organizations.

Senator "Bob" Kenny of Los Angeles, for example, is an avowed candidate for the Democratic nomination and is busily at work, trying to rally some Bourbon legislators behind his banner so that he can fire the first volleys of his campaign during the forthcoming session of the Legislature.

In addition to Governor Olson, who may wish to succeed himself, Senator Kenny is likely to collide with the ambitions of John Dockweiler, the

newly-elected Los Angeles County district attorney, and the aspirations of Speaker of the Assembly Gordon Garland, who has gained considerable prestige as one of the leaders of the legislative Economy Bloc.

Other possible Democratic contenders include versatile George Creel, who was President Wilson's ace propagandist during the World War; Collector of Internal Revenue Clifford C. Anglim, one of the most brilliant orators of the Bourbon brigade; Melvin Douglas, the screen star and hus-

### IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

J. O. JONES No. 7759 Plaintiff, —vs.—

SARAH L. MAIERS, JAMES A. SHERRITT, as Administrators of the Estate of JOSEPH GOWLING, also known as JOSEPH GOULDEN, deceased, COLIN B. HISLOP, as Administrator of the Estate of WILLIAM JONES, deceased, PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, a corporation, and "Also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the real property described in the Complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto", Defendants.

### SUMMONS IN ACTION TO QUIET TITLE

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA:

To Sarah L. Maiers, James A. Sherritt, as Administrators of the Estate of Joseph Gowling, also known as Joseph Goulden, deceased, Colin B. Hislop, as Administrator of the Estate of William Jones, deceased, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, and "Also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the real property described in the Complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto",

#### GREETINGS:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that an action was commenced in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, by filing a verified Complaint in the Clerk's office of said Court on the 29th day of July, 1940, in which action J. O. Jones is the Plaintiff, and you are the Defendants.

You are further notified that the property affected by said action is situated in the County of Nevada, State of California, particularly described as follows, to wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>) of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Seventeen (17) North, Range fourteen (14) East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian;

EXCEPTING THEREFROM that portion described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Southerly boundary line of said Section 23, from which the Southwest corner of said Section 23 bears North 89 degrees 46 1/2 minutes West 830.3 feet distant, and running thence North 33 degrees 34 minutes East 64.1 feet; thence North 19 degrees 16 minutes East 138.4 feet; thence North 17 degrees 21 minutes West 119.8 feet; thence North 4 degrees 27 minutes East 154.2 feet; thence North 15 degrees 36 1/2 minutes West 263.0 feet; thence North 12 degrees 22 1/2 minutes West 218.9 feet; thence North 9 degrees 36 minutes East 219.8 feet; thence North 11 degrees 59 1/2 minutes East 29.0 feet; thence North 39 degrees 21 1/2 minutes East 184.7 feet; thence North 59 degrees 02 1/2 minutes East 373.3 feet; thence North 73 degrees 39 minutes East 477.2 feet; thence North 77 degrees 20 1/2 minutes East 110.7 feet; thence North 73 degrees 08 minutes East 283.0 feet; thence North 81 degrees 41 1/2 minutes East 179.7 feet; thence North 86 degrees 23 1/2 minutes East 182.3

feet; thence North 55 degrees 23 minutes East 258.0 feet; thence North 34 degrees 38 minutes East 233.0 feet to a point in the Southerly boundary line of the railroad right of way of Central Pacific Railway Company, thence Easterly along the Southerly boundary line of said railroad right of way to a point in the Easterly line of the SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of said Section 23; thence Southerly along the Easterly boundary line of the SW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of said Section 23, to the South quarter corner of said Section 23; thence Westerly along the Southerly boundary line of said Section 23, to the point of beginning.

ALSO EXCEPTING any portion of said Section 23, which lies in the County of Placer, State of California.

SAVING AND EXCEPTING therefrom all those portions situated within the original four hundred foot right of way of the Central Pacific Railway Company through which its main line tracks are laid down.

You are further notified that the object of said action is to compel you and each of you, to set forth the nature of your respective claims, rights, titles, estates, liens, interests or demands in, to, upon or against said property, or any part thereof, or any cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto; to obtain a judgment and decree quieting Plaintiff's title in and to said real property; that the title of said Plaintiff in and to said property and the whole thereof, is good and valid, that the Defendants have not, and no one of them has, any interest or estate in, claim, demand, or title to, or lien upon the real property, or any part thereof, or any cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto, and that Defendants, Sarah L. Maiers, James A. Sherritt, as Administrators of the Estate of Joseph Gowling, deceased, Colin B. Hislop, as Administrator of the Estate of William Jones, deceased, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a corporation, and "Also all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien, or interest in the real property described in the Complaint adverse to Plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon Plaintiff's title thereto", be forever enjoined, and debarred from asserting any claim whatever in or to said real property, or any part thereof, adverse to Plaintiff, and that Plaintiff have such other and further relief as to this Court may seem meet, just, and equitable.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer said Complaint within ten days from the time of service of this Summons, exclusive of the day of service, if served on you in said County of Nevada, and within thirty days, exclusive of the day of service, if served elsewhere;

And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer within the time above specified, the Plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I R. N. McCORMACK, Clerk of the Court aforesaid, do hereby set my hand and affix the seal of said Court on the 29th day of July, 1940.

(SEAL) R. N. McCORMACK, Clerk by R. E. Deebie, Deputy LOWELL & LOWELL Attorneys for the Plaintiff Auburn, Cal. N 28; D 5, 12, 17

### STATE FAIR CLEARS \$224,000 AFTER 1940 SHOWING, IS REPORT

—(LANS)— Its financial condition reportedly the best in history, the California State Fair will expend approximately \$400,000 for capital improvements in the coming year, its budget committee announced here.

Major construction project will be a \$370,000 livestock coliseum, cost of which State and Federal agencies are expected to share.

Record breaking 1940 attendance will leave \$224,000 in the Fair's contingent fund, after adjustment, the budget committee estimated—\$100,000 more than the total when fiscal 1940-1941 began.

Salvage operations at Treasure Island, scene of the San Francisco World's Fair, will yield \$79,000 in equipment and materials for installation at the State Fair grounds here

### A Pillar of Patience

A South Carolina farmer is still holding 300 bales of 1916 cotton, which sold for 40 cents a pound, for better prices. Cotton is now around 10 cents per pound.

band of beautiful Helen Gahagan, Secretary of State Paul Peek, Lieutenant Governor Ellis Patterson and sundry others.

The rejuvenated Republican Party, brimming with enthusiasm as a result of the tremendous vote polled by its presidential candidate, Wendell Willkie, also has a host of prospective candidates, including Senator Jerrold L. Seawell of Roseville, President Pro Tem of the State Senate, who is recognized as a leading contender.

Other top-flight names in the G.O.P. lineup, all being given consideration in the gubernatorial preview, include Paul Smith, editor of the San Francisco Chronicle; Phil Bancroft, the fighting farmer from Contra Costa county; Mayor Fletcher Bowron of Los Angeles; Attorney-General Earl Warren; newly-elected Congressman Tom Rolph of San Francisco, brother of the late Governor "Sunny Jim" Rolph; Justus Craemer of Orange, a member of the State Railroad Commission, and State Treasurer Charles G. Johnson.

An interesting sidelight on the gathering campaign is the fact that Wendell Willkie, titular head of the Republican Party nationally, plans to come to California shortly and will confer with G. O. P. leaders here regarding the approaching governorship battle. Mr. Willkie has expressed the opinion, privately, that California may elect a Republican Governor in 1942. All of which adds tone to the drama now in the making.

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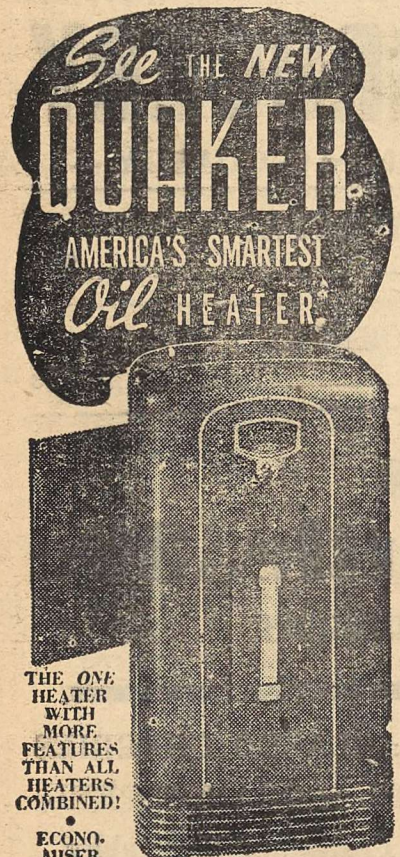
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**To Palo Alto**—Camille Sassarini recently joined her sister, Mrs. Felix Koehler, in Sacramento and then spent two weeks with other relatives in Palo Alto and Pebble Beach.

#### Back from Trip

E. L. Loynd, Dave Cabona, Orlan Sanders and Verne Shattuck returned Sunday night after a weekend of hunting and fishing at Tule Lake and on the Klamath.

#### Reported Ill

Walter Ashton is reported ill from a severe cold at his home.

#### Back From San Francisco

Elden Tonini drove to San Francisco Wednesday night to return with Mrs. Tonini and children who have been visiting there.

#### Here for Holiday

Misses Dorothy Snider, Hilda Black and Dorothy Barrett are spending the Thanksgiving holiday at the University of Nevada with relatives here.



#### Week-end with Relatives

Mrs. Annie Tonini and Mrs. Mary Roquette were the guests of the latter's brother and sister-in-law at Graceland during the weekend.

#### At Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Dolley attended the funeral of Mrs. Dolley's uncle Harvey Majors, in Reno yesterday.

#### In Reno for Holiday

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hart and daughter, Renee, were in Reno with relatives on Thanksgiving Day.

#### To Nevada

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Dolley and family attended a dinner in Nevada on Thursday last.

#### On Trip

Mrs. Laura Kirchner, local property owner and former resident, left Oakland last week for a trip to San Diego and Arizona.

Ben Tonini, Harold Hart and Star Gregory were reported to be confined to their beds this week with attacks of flu or cold.

Jack Pistoia and Ernest Siri enjoyed the hunting in the Sacramento valley during the pheasant season.

#### Editor Here

#### Teacher Here

Miss Evelyn D. Reynolds of the faculty of the Grass Valley High School spent the Thanksgiving recess in Truckee as the guest of Rev. and Mrs. G. J. E. Keetch.

#### Visits Here

Mrs. Tom Dyer of Roseville spent the week here with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Englehart, Sr.

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#### At Pearson Home

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#### At Capitol

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Esola and daughter, Bruna, were in Sacramento this week.

#### The Next Chamber

of commerce meeting will be held at the California Restaurant Monday

Miss Cora Bullard of San Francisco spent the last week-end with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Laity, here. Mrs. Laity returned to the bay area with her to spend the week.

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